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Weekly Domestic OSINT Report

12NOV2022 to 18NOV2022

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This weekly report provides an overview of significant domestic explosives-based incidents and statistical data trends for Federal, State, local, tribal, and territorial government and private sector partners.

29 total incidents reported between
12NOV2022 and 18NOV2022

0 Killed



0 Injured



6 Arrested



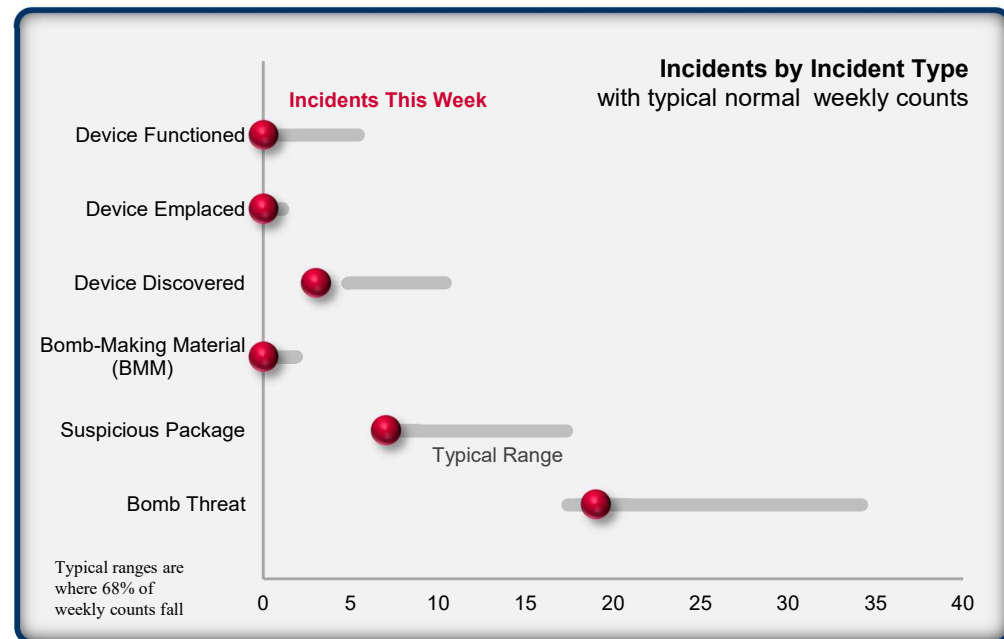
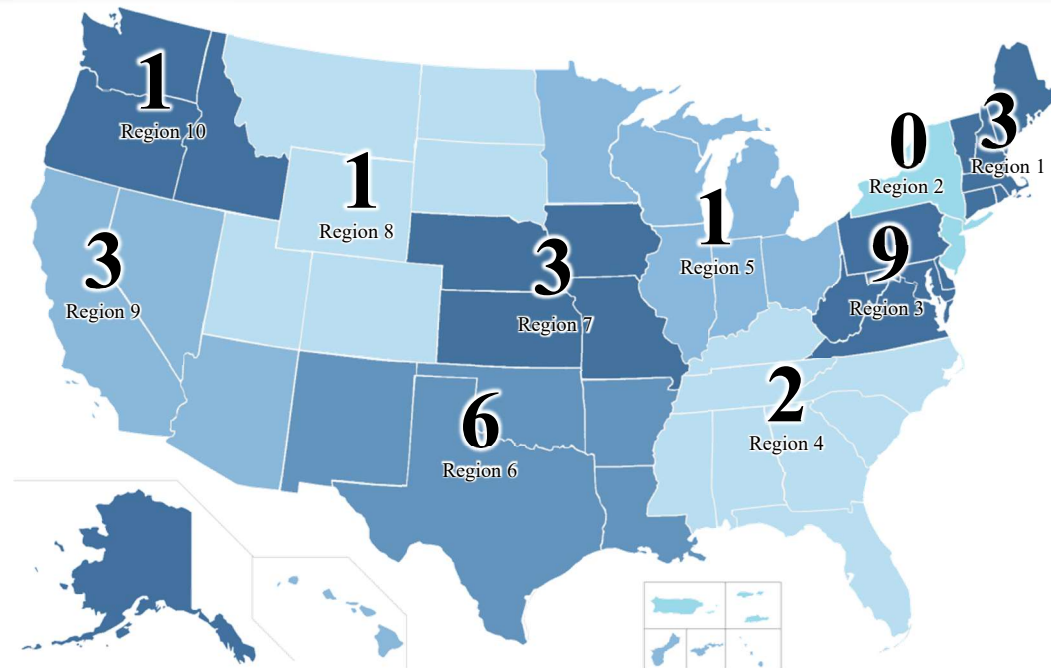
3 Device & Bomb-Making
Material (BMM)



7 Suspicious
Package



19 Bomb
Threat



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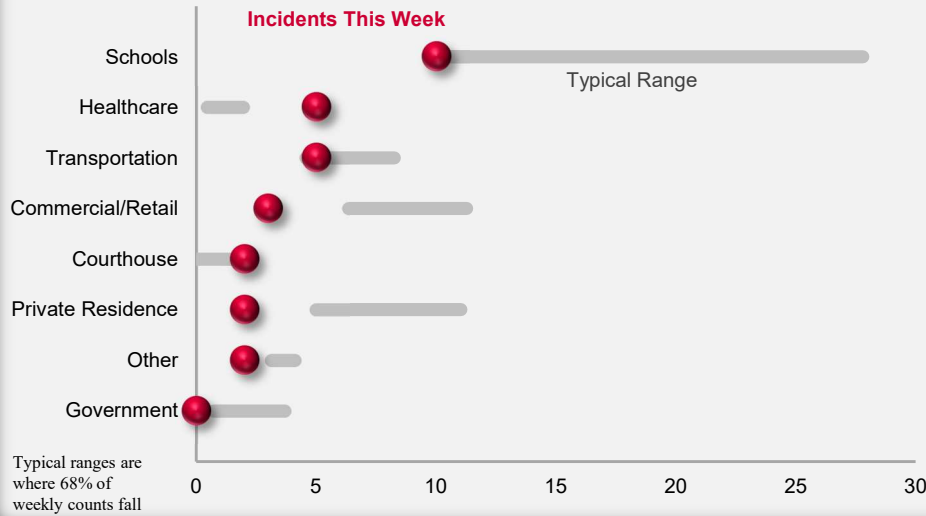


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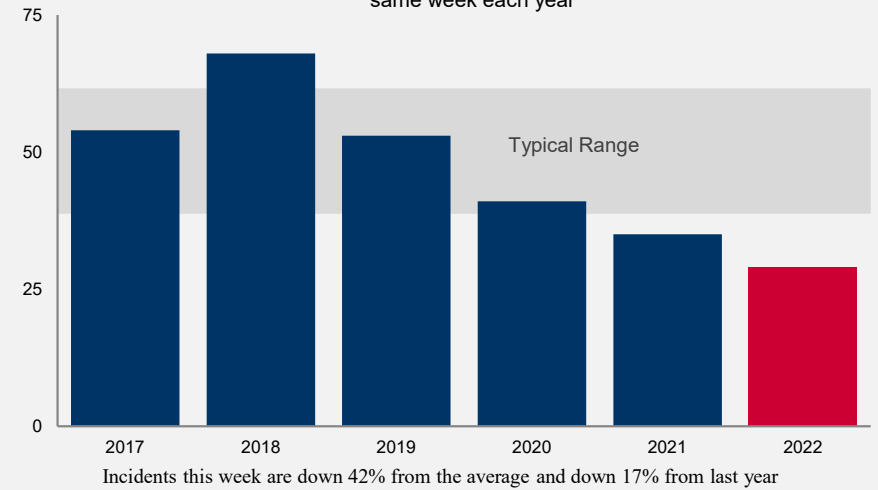
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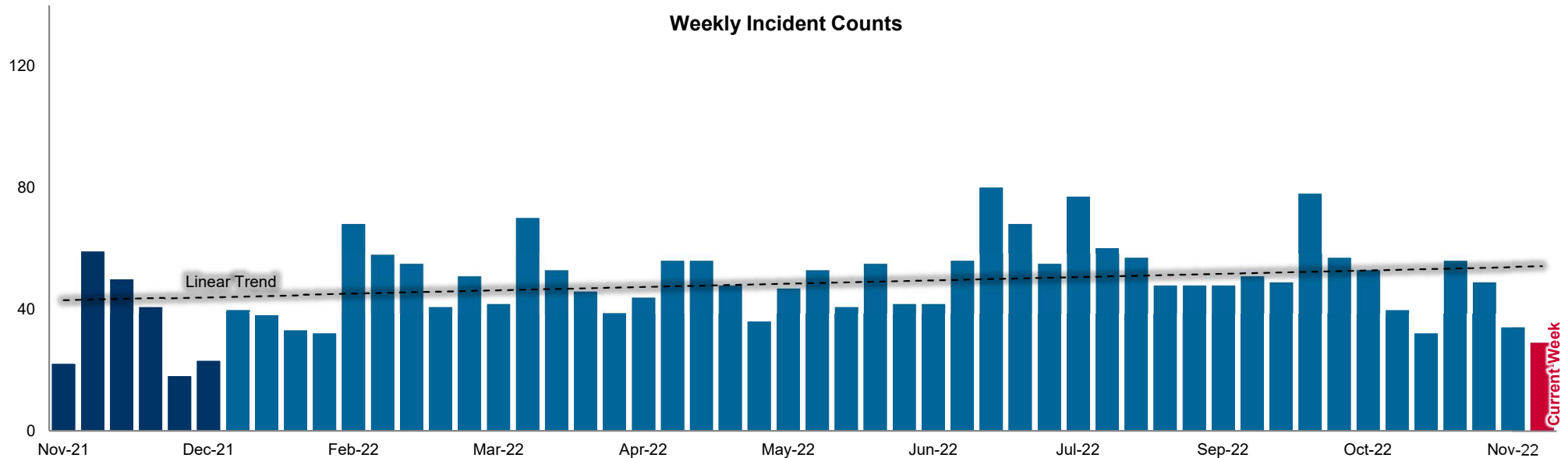
Incidents by Infrastructure Type
with ranges of typical weekly counts



Incident Counts
same week each year



Weekly Incident Counts



A Linear Trend is a line on a graph showing the general direction that a group of points seem to follow

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Virginia: Explosions Damage Public Bookcase and Wood Fixture

From TRIPwire reporting on 14 November 2022, On 9 November 2022, at approximately 0045 hours local time, Arlington County Fire Department (ACFD) crews responded following an explosion and fire targeting a freestanding public bookcase on North Columbus Street. Investigators examined the scene and discovered evidence of another explosion at the nearby Lubber Run amphitheater that destroyed a wooden fixture. According to media reporting, the public bookcase explosion may have been caused by a modified pyrotechnic or mortar, but no further device details have been released. The ACFD Bomb Squad, Virginia State Police, ATF, and FBI responded to conduct post-blast analysis and collect evidence. No injuries were reported, and both incidents remain under investigation.



Source: www.Arlnow.com

Pennsylvania: IEDs, BMM Discovered Inside Residence

On 14 November 2022, at approximately 1400 hours local time, Carbondale Police Department (CPD) officers, a Lackawanna County SWAT team, and Scranton Police Department Bomb Unit raided a residence in Simpson and recovered 13 IEDs, bomb-making material (BMM), and marijuana from the house. No further details about the IEDs or BMM have been released. A male suspect was arrested and is facing several charges including possession of explosive or incendiary materials or devices. The incident remains under investigation.



For more information about efforts to prevent bombing incidents using precursor chemicals and IED components, please visit the **Bomb-Making Materials Awareness Program (BMAP)** website at <https://www.cisa.gov/bmap>.

California: Pipe Bomb Discovered in Stolen Vehicle

On 14 November 2022, at approximately 2203 hours local time, Redding Police Department officers located and searched a disabled stolen vehicle on Pine Street and discovered a pipe bomb inside a tool bag. The Shasta County and Butte County bomb squad units responded to assist and rendered the device safe. No further device details were provided. The 58-year-old suspect was arrested and charged with possessing stolen property and being in possession of an explosive device.

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¹ **The Infrastructure Categories** listed in this report are derived from the DHS Critical Infrastructure Sectors:

Chemical	Financial Services	Healthcare and Public Health
Commercial/Retail	Government Facilities	Information Technology
Communications	• Courthouse	Nuclear
Critical Manufacturing	• Federal	Transportation Systems
Dams	• State	Water
Defense	• Local	Non-Critical Infrastructure
Industrial Base	• National Monuments	• Other (e.g., faith-based facilities)
Emergency Services	• Parks	• Postal and Shipping
Energy	• Schools	• Private Residence
Food and Agriculture		

DISCLAIMER:

This product provides a statistical analysis of available open-source reporting of explosives-related events, bomb threats, and improvised explosive device (IED) activity in the United States and its territories. Due to the nature of open-source intelligence (OSINT) collection, this data may not reflect all bomb-related incidents or casualty figures during the stated period and does not include classified or law enforcement sensitive information. Incidents that received a response from authorities, law enforcement, and/or first responders are frequently reported only through official channels, such as locally held police logs. Therefore, the information may not be available and/or captured in the data used to compile this report.

² **The Incident Types** used in this report are defined as follows:

- Bomb-Making Material (BMM): Materials commonly associated with IEDs but which were not assembled into a functional device at the time of discovery; this category includes both discoveries and thefts
- Bomb Threat: An intentionally false claim of the presence of a bomb at a certain location
- Device Discovered: The discovery of a hazardous device before the device was emplaced at the targeted location
- Device Emplaced: The discovery of a hazardous device emplaced at a targeted location
- Device Functioned: A hazardous device functioned
- Suspicious Package Discovered: The discovery/examination of an ultimately non-hazardous package

³ **The Federal Regions** used in this report consist of:

- Region 1 Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont
- Region 2 New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands
- Region 3 Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia
- Region 4 Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee
- Region 5 Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin
- Region 6 Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas
- Region 7 Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska
- Region 8 Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming
- Region 9 Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, American Samoa, Guam, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands
- Region 10 Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington

NOTE: Incident map and circle graph indicate Federal regions utilizing the same colors. Graph reads clockwise from top.

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